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This listing of claims replaces all prior listings.

- 1-6. (Cancelled).
- 7. (Currently Amended) A method of manufacturing a solid-electrolyte battery comprising:

forming a first set of gel-electrolyte layers on both sides of a positive electrode collector; forming a second set of gel-electrolyte layers on both sides of a negative electrode collector:

forming a positive electrode comprising the first set of gel-electrolyte layers on both sides of the positive electrode collector;

forming a negative electrode comprising the second set of gel-electrolyte layers on both sides of a negative electrode collector;

laminating said positive electrode and said negative electrode such that one of the first set of gel-electrolyte layers and one of the second set of gel-electrolyte layers face each other;

winding said positive electrode and said negative electrode such that another one of the first set of gel-electrolyte layers and one of the second set of gel-electrolyte layers face each other:

sealing the wound electrode in a film pack formed by laminating a nylon layer, an aluminum layer and a polypropylene layer on the wound electrode and welding an outer end of the wound electrode film pack; and

after sealing said wound electrodes into the film pack, subjecting said wound electrodes to heat treatment so that each of the first set of gel-electrode layers and the one of the second set of gel-electrolyte layers facing each other are integrated with each other into one continuous seamless layer by heating the laminated electrode in an atmosphere having a temperature of between 70 and 100 degrees C.

wherein.

said gel-electrolyte layers comprise an electrolyte salt, a matrix polymer, and a swelling solvent serving as a plasticizer,

said gel-electrolyte layers comprises LiPF₆.

the positive electrode active material has a density of 3.6 g/cm³ and the negative electrode active material has a density of 1.6 g/cm³,

said matrix polymer includes polyvinylidene flouride and polyhexafluoropropylene, and

the matrix polymer has an ion conductivity higher than 1 mS/cm at room temperatures.

- 8-9. (Canceled).
- (Original) The method of claim 7, wherein said wound electrodes are subjected to heat treatment for ten minutes.
 - 11-12 (Cancelled)
- 13. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 7, wherein said nonaqueous solvent is selected from the group consisting of ethylene carbonate, propylene carbonate, butylene carbonate, \(\gamma\)-butylolactone, \(\gamma\)-valerolactone, diethoxyethane, tetrahydrofuran, 2-methyltetrahydrofuran, 1, 3-dioxane, methyl acetate, methyl propionate, dimethylcarbonate, diethyl carbonate or ethylmethyl carbonate or their mixture.
 - 14.-16. (Cancelled)
- (Currently Amended) A method of manufacturing a solid-electrolyte battery comprising:

forming gel-electrolyte layers on both sides of a positive electrode and a negative electrode, wherein one of said solid-electrolyte layers formed on said positive electrode and one of said gel-electrolyte layers formed on said negative electrode face each other;

winding said positive electrode and said negative electrode after pressing;

sealing the wound electrode in a film pack formed by laminating a nylon layer, an aluminum layer and a polypropylene layer on the wound electrode and welding an outer end of the wound electrode film pack; and

after sealing said wound electrodes into the film pack, subjecting said wound electrodes to heat treatment so that said gel-electrolyte layers formed on said positive electrode and said gel-electrolyte layers formed on said negative electrode are integrated with each other into one continuous seamless layer by heating the laminated electrode in an atmosphere having a temperature of between 70 and 100 degrees C,

wherein.

said gel-electrolyte layers comprise an electrolyte salt, a matrix polymer, and a swelling solvent serving as a plasticizer

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said gel-electrolyte layers comprises LiPF₆,

the positive electrode active material has a density of 3.6 g/cm³ and the negative electrode active material has a density of 1.6 g/cm³,

said matrix polymer includes polyvinylidene flouride and polyhexafluoropropylene, and

the matrix polymer has an ion conductivity higher than 1 mS/cm at room temperatures.